



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For : COMPREHENSIVE APPLICATION POWER  
TESTER

Docket No.: S104.12-1022/STL 9524

Group Art Unit: 2161

Examiner: Etienne Pierre  
Leroux

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER  
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

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Sir:

Applicants appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed November 13, 2006, finally rejecting claims 18-21, 23-31 and 33-36.

**FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b) the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

☒ other than a small entity \$500.00  
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**EXTENSION OF TIME**

These proceedings are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 apply.

(a) ☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a).

(d) for the total number of months checked below:

Extension (months)	Fee for other than <u>small entity</u>	Fee for <u>small entity</u>
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or

(b) ☐ Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that Applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

#### **TOTAL FEE DUE**

The total fee due is:

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Respectfully submitted,  
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